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The Boston Herald said that the business tide is still rising. Republicanism and prosperity are marching hand in hand, in spite of the doleful predictions of the free trade writers.

It requires several columns, a day in certain newspapers to assure Carl Schurz that the letters of Senator Gulliver really go for no answer. There is such a thing as protesting too much. What is the letter of to little consequence what is all this fuss about?

A Mr. Nichols, correspondent of the Oregon Journal, telegraphed reports "on what seems to be good authority," that R. E. White, the future successor to Governor and Charles A. Walsh, chairman of the Democratic state committee, are arrears as to the conduct of the campaign, while desiring to make the Oregon State Legislature and Walsh having "upset" the national issue of silver. This is said to explain White's absence from the stump.

The Bradford (Eng.) Daily Argyll, contributes an interesting article on the question who pays the duty. It avers it is a fact that under the McKinley bill the wages of operatives, as well as the profits of employers were cut down, leaving the fact that every increase of duty will fall on the same results. And the Cabinet and the public are bound to a bad fellow" that the burden of "silver" must fall upon the consumer and the consumer alone. There is not a word for the American worker, this article who could not, from his experience, disprove this theory and saw that he contributed by the docking weekly earnings to pay the duties which imposed.

We concur in this frank statement to one of the free trade writers in this city who protest that the tariff is a tax upon the consumer.

In view of the railroads of this country that charge a toll, it would be necessary if they were operated by the government, it is found that on the average they are last, twice the cost of those in Europe.—Governor Allard, of Hartford.

There does Mr. Allard stand? As a matter of fact, the rates charged in America stand Europe, to consider reports for March include those from J. C. Abingdon, our consul at Boston, which is devoted exclusively to a discussion of the railway service of a continent and especially of Germany. Mr. Abingdon says: "Oscars has come to Puslja cost 2.14 cents first class, 1.00 second class, and 1.10 cents third class, per kilometer. In the United States the price per kilometer is 1.31 cents. . . . We read 88 kilograms (100 pounds) baggage free; here only 25 kilograms (33 pounds) are free, and then 50 cents extra."

A letter commenting on the eight-day movement among the allied trades Great Britain, Sir Benjamin Browne, head of the foremost engineering firm in the country, said: "We are not yet in our field industries nor in driving us out of our markets, but we have American, German and Swiss machinery coming into this country. Whatever may be the efforts of our Government to purchase, to purchase, few will dare to think the American market should much below the Englishman. Electric machinery being largely imported from England. The Americans have secured a number of important contracts in India, and, before copying us and inventing for themselves, foreigners are pressing us in every direction."

If Mr. Browne would investigate this subject more closely he would find that American machinists, as a whole, are not only the equals but the superiors of those of any other country, and that this is due, first, to the protection policy which holds out inducements to mechanics and "thus to invent constant improvements in the machinery and tools of our respective trades; and secondly, to our patent laws which protect their inventions from us by others who otherwise might steal their ideas."

A warm spell in September is not at all remarkable, and the recent hot wave would have passed by with no more than the usual notice but for the fact that the summer months of 1897 were unusually cool and pleasant, and that it has been reserved for September to give us, in the warmest days of the year, the Philadelphia North American. Friday was a record breaker, being not only the hottest day of the entire year, but also the hottest September 10 on record. There was but one piece in the country warmer than Philadelphia—Corinth, Texas.

The mercury reached the top notch 90° at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and there were the figures at the top of the postoffice, it was, of course, several degrees warmer on the street. The only other but September day surpassing Friday was September 7, 1881, when the mercury touched 102 degrees in the shade, but although Friday and the day before were unusually warm, the records of the local Weather Bureau show that the temperature of the first two days of the month has not been at all abnormal; we have had the average September weather.

The Latimer Riot. In view of the conflicting reports it is difficult to fix the responsibility for the sad result of the Latimer riot, notwithstanding the fact that certain newspapermen have assumed the functions of Judge and Jury and denounced the officers as murderers. Some of the very papers that were engaged in the riot, after the withdrawal of the judges who issued the injunctions, argued the striking miners, only to confess later that they never understood the terms of the injunctions which they had entirely misrepresented; and already condemned the sheriff and his deputies, for an unbroken record against us upon whom they repeated assault upon us.

It is by such methods as these that irresponsible writers work much mischief. The writer will fully investigate and it is well to whitish it. We did so far as possible obtain a corrected until all the facts are known. One newspaper accuses the sheriff because he did not give the order to fire over the heads of the rioters, claiming that this would have had the effect of clearing the mob. At the same time this particular writer writes "Informal," the law officers as to their duty, the deputies conveyed the statement of the sheriff that he did order a volley discharge into the air, but instead of stopping the rioters he was thrown down and trampled upon, and that it was "not until he believed his own life and the lives of his deputies were in danger that he gave the order to fire into the backs of the assaulting party."

If this report is true, and it remains for the authorities to determine this fact, the officer did just what any man would have done, under similar circumstances. The rioters outnumbered the officers four to one and when the officer in the referee discharged his duty, realizing that to let them they treated it with contempt. It may be that the officer did

have the right to do this, but the absence of information concerning the actual conditions existing at the time, it is well to wait for the investigation before pronouncing.

It is our intention to make the Big Store in the future even more than it has been in the past, the shopping center of Eastern Maine. To do this we shall carry larger and finer stocks in every department. Our aim will be to give you the best service, the best stocks to select from, and the best values of any store in this section.

Under the new tariff and the enormous quantities of goods that are being absorbed by the West and South prices are steadily advancing everyday. It is no a theory but a fact that all kinds of dry goods must necessarily be much higher in the near future.

It is a good investment to supply your wants now.

DRESS GOODS.

1 lot 36-in. Wool Dress Goods in new effects in fancy mixtures and checks; the looms never turned off such attractive goods for so little money.

At yard, 25¢.

1 lot 36-in. Novelties in two and three-toned effects; a big range of colorings, nothing more attractive in our Dress Goods department than these.

At per yard, 50¢.

1 lot very stylish Novelties exclusively controlled by us, in Bangor; 40 in. wide, blue, brown, red, purple & green ground work, with dashes of black; mohair sprinkled over the surface. We were tempted to mark them 75¢, and they would not have been high at that price.

At per yard, 50¢.

1 lot 42-in. Illuminated Whips, one of the most stylish fabrics of the season; you'll want to see them.

At per yard, 75¢.

1 lot Cover Cloths, 52 in. wide, and 1 lot Illuminated Poplins, 50 in. wide, in new Fall colorings; the tariff will bring the next lot of these goods up to \$1.35.

At per yard, \$1.00.

1 lot 50-in. Costume Serges for tailor-made dresses, in navy, brown, green, purple, and black, made of the finest grade of Australian wool, beautiful dye and finish.

At per yard, \$1.00.

A very large line of French and German Novelties in single dress patterns, no two alike, and not to be found elsewhere,

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their old mounts and are calculating each other on their good luck. They have purchased "wheels" of Estabrook's before and know that what he recommends will bear out his recommendation. Estabrook has 20 bicycles which he is offering at COST. Come early and get you pick.

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MUNYON'S
BANGOR & AROOSTOCK R.R.
EXCURSION
to AROOSTOCK COUNTY, SEPT. 13 and
14, 1897, at the time of the
NORTH AROOSTOCK AGRICULTURAL FAIR
at PRESEQUE ISLE, SEPT. 14 to 16.

TOURISTS and HOMME GREENING about Aroostock County at this season of the year will find a great variety of amusements and places of interest in the fair grounds. The biggest fair in the State is located here and is fully equipped as any mill town or city in the country can boast of. All over the State may be seen thousands of acres of land which have been cleared and tilled. At the fair a representative display of the products of Aroostock County will be made. Aroostock County will have on its representative stand a record of the year and no one household will be able to point to a Bangor County home.

Excursion tickets will be sold at the following stations:

The Carbone, Presque Isle, Fort Kent, Greenville, Bangor, Limestone, etc., etc.

Price, \$1.00 each, and will be good for two months from date of purchase.

Corresponding local tickets will be made available at all stations.

F. W. CHAMBERS, Geo. M. Houghton,
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EXCURSION TO KINEO

AND PEBBLE BEACH.

THURSDAY, Sept. 13, under the direction of O. C. D. Farnham, of Worcester, Mass., \$10.00 round trip.

Special train leaves Bangor 4:45 a.m., Kineo 4:45 p.m.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the State of Maine:

The Aroostock Northern Railroad Company respectfully represents to the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the State of Maine that the Aroostock Board is laid across the Illinois and other railroads and the points of connection with them. They are bound to the railroads by various agreements and further represents that it is impossible to so much as approach the railroads without being liable to damages. Your petitioner represents that your Honorable Board, after notice of the above facts, has done nothing whatever to protect such rights, and how the cause of building and maintaining so much expense and trouble to the railroads, and that he will be forced to sue the railroads company for the protection of his investments in the Aroostock Northern Railroad Company.

By Parker E. Parker, his attorney.

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Levee Creasing. After near what place..... 1 The Levee running from Clinton to Fort Fairfield on the North Branch of the Penobscot River, at a point where the river is about a mile North of the village of Clinton, crosses the bridge across Little Black Water.

Canton..... 2 The Levee is about as long as 1 point about 1/2 of a mile from the village of Clinton to the village of Little Black Water.

Fairfield..... 3 The "Marrow" road at a point where the river is about a mile North of the village of Clinton, crosses the bridge across Little Black Water.

Fort Fairfield..... 4 The Levee is about as long as 1 point about 1/2 of a mile from the village of Clinton to the village of Little Black Water.

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